## FISCAL NOTE

# HB 4046 - SB 3929

March 7, 2006

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a person applying for an initial registration or renewal of a registration as a blaster, limited blaster, handler or firm to submit a copy of the person's ATF letter of clearance, license or permit. Increases the civil penalty for blasting violations from \$500 to \$10,000 per violation.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

Increase State Revenues – Net Impact – Less than \$50,000 State Expenditures – Net Impact – Not Significant

### Assumptions:

- An increase in state revenues from the collection civil penalties as a result of raising the maximum penalty from \$500 to \$10,000.
- A slight decrease in the number of registrations as a result of some persons not being able to produce an ATF letter of clearance, license or permit.
- A not significant decrease in state revenues as a result of fewer persons receiving a license and paying fees.
- A not significant decrease in state expenditures as a result of regulating fewer licensees.
- A not significant increase in state expenditures to implement the provisions of this bill.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director